

Topical Heading
Research

Program Title

Education Research

CFDA # (or ED #)
84.305

Administering Office
Institute of Education Sciences (IES)

Who May Apply (by category)
Individuals, Institutions of Higher Education (IHEs), Local Education Agencies (LEAs), Nonprofit Organizations, Other Organizations and/or Agencies, State Education Agencies (SEAs)

Who May Apply (specifically)
Applicants that have the ability and capacity to conduct scientifically valid research are eligible to apply. Eligible applicants also include, but are not limited to, for-profit organizations and public and private agencies and institutions.

Current Competitions
The Institute of Education Sciences supports a variety of separate competitions and other activities. FY 2007 competitions resulting in FY 2008 awards—as listed in the *Federal Register* announcement of April 6, 2007 (72 *FR* 17346)—are as follows:

Education Research (# 84.305A-1): Reading and Writing; Interventions for Struggling Adolescent and Adult Readers and Writers; Mathematics and Science Education; Teacher Quality in Reading and Writing; Teacher Quality in Mathematics and Science; Cognition and Student Learning; Social and Behavioral Context for Academic Learning; Education Technology; Early Childhood Programs and Policies; Education Leadership; Education Policy, Finance, and Systems; High School Reform; Postsecondary Education
Deadline for receipt of applications: July 26, 2007.
Estimated range of awards: \$100,000–\$1,200,000 per year (up to five years)
Contact: David Sweet; David.Sweet@ed.gov; 202-219-1748

Education Research Training (# 84.305B-1): Postdoctoral Research Training
Deadline for receipt of applications: July 26, 2007.
Estimated range of awards: \$160,000–\$200,000 per year (up to five years)
Contact: Robin Harwood; Robin.Harwood@ed.gov; 202-208-3896

Education Research (# 84.305A-2): Reading and Writing; Interventions for Struggling Adolescent and Adult Readers and Writers; Mathematics and Science Education; Teacher Quality in Reading and Writing; Teacher Quality in Mathematics and Science; Cognition and Student Learning; Social and Behavioral Context for Academic Learning; Education Technology; Early Childhood Programs and Policies; Education Leadership; Education Policy, Finance, and Systems; High School Reform; Postsecondary Education
Deadline for receipt of applications: Nov. 1, 2007.
Estimated range of awards: \$100,000–\$1,200,000 per year (up to five years)
Contact: David Sweet; David.Sweet@ed.gov; 202-219-1748

Education Research Training (# 84.305B-2): Predoctoral Research Training
Deadline for receipt of applications: Nov. 1, 2007.
Estimated range of awards: \$160,000–\$200,000 per year (up to five years)
Contact: Robin Harwood; Robin.Harwood@ed.gov; 202-208-3896

Education Research & Development Centers (# 84.305C): Serious Behavior Disorders at the Secondary Level, Response to Intervention in Early Childhood Special Education
Deadline for receipt of applications: Nov. 1, 2007.
Estimated range of awards: \$1,000,000–\$2,000,000 per year (up to five years)
Contact: Christina Chhin; Christina.Chhin@ed.gov; 202-219-2280

Application packages available online at: <http://www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ies/programs.html>. For further information, see the *Federal Register* announcements listed at: <http://www.ed.gov/legislation/FedRegister> or the Department's forecast of funding opportunities listed at: <http://www.ed.gov/fund/grant/find/edlite-forecast.html>

Type of Assistance (by category)

Cooperative Agreements, Contracts, Discretionary/Competitive Grants

Appropriations

Fiscal Year 2005 \$164,193,856

Fiscal Year 2006 \$162,552,060

Fiscal Year 2007 \$162,552,060

Note: The appropriation figures above cover funding for the entire research, development, and dissemination account which, in addition to the activities outlined under this program title, includes the National Library of Education, the Educational Resources Information Center (or ERIC, also under the topical heading "Research," with no CFDA # or ED # assigned), the National Board for Education Sciences, and other activities.

Fiscal Year 2007 Awards Information

Note: The Department is not bound by any estimates in this notice.

Number of New Awards Anticipated: Number dependent upon number of quality proposals

Average New Award: Varies

Range of New Awards: \$100,000–\$2,000,000 per year

Number of Continuation Awards: 8

Average Continuation Award: \$1,400,000

Range of Continuation Awards: \$200,000–\$2,000,000

Legislative Citation

Education Sciences Reform Act of 2002 (ESRA), Title I, Parts B and D, Secs. 133 and 172; 20 *U.S.C.* 9533, 9562

Program Regulations

See individual program announcements for applicable regulations, if any.

Program Description

Under this program title, IES supports research to improve education at all levels.

Education Level (by category)

Adult, Early Childhood, Elementary, K–12, Middle School, Out-of-School Youth, Postsecondary, Pre-K, Preschool, Secondary

Subject Index

Academic Achievement, Disadvantaged, Educationally Disadvantaged, Mathematics, Reading, Research, Sciences, Teachers

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Links to Related Web Sites

<http://www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ies/index.html>

<http://www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ies/ncer/index.html>